MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): How many persons were disbanded?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): I cannot say exactly.

Lands for the Anandapalli-Kyppattur Road.

329. MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): With reference to the Anandapalli-Kyppattur road will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the Chief Engineer has directed in his inspection notes dated 16-11-1928 that the Division Officer should arrange to lock-spit the land required and prepare land plan and area lists and obtain written statements from the owners that they are prepared to surrender the land on nominal compensation; and

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, the action taken on the same during the last sixteen months (ending with the 1st Medom 1105)?

MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The land plan and area list have been prepared but they have been referred to the Sub-Division Officer for some more details.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): May I know why such a long time was taken for preparing this land plan and area list by the Sub-Division Officer?

MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): Mr. Asan was present during the inspection made by Mr. Vipan. The ryots have also consented to give the land free. Statements from those people had to be taken by the Division Officer.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): So, am I to understand that the statement has been taken from the ryots themselves?

MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): Yes, statements must have been taken.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): The member does not seem to be sure.

Statement, by caste, of appointments made by Mr. Venkataramana Aiyar.

330. MR. V. J. VOMMEN (*Commerce and Industry, North*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table:

(*a*) a statement, by caste, of appointments, both acting and permanent, made by Account Officer, Mr. Venkataramana Aiyar while he was in charge of the department;

(*b*) a statement, by caste, of applications for appointments received by him during the period; and

(*c*) a statement, by caste, of persons who were appointed from among the applicants referred to in part (*b*)?

MR. C. S. KRISHNASWAMI AIYAR (*Ag. Financial Secretary to Government*): A statement* containing the information desired in respect of the clerical establishment is laid on the table.

* *Vide* Appendix xl—Page 812.

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